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## **HUMAN RIGHTS PRE-REQUISITE FOR PEACE, DEMOCRACY & DEVELOPMENT**

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Venue:
BABANANAK SINDHI HINDI HIGH SCHOOL & JUNIOR COLLEGE, NAGPUR

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## **SHORT REPORT**

#### **EIP-INDIA SEMINAR**

## BABANANAK SINDHI HINDI HIGH SCHOOL & JUNIOR COLLEGE

EIP-India as a part of EIP-International Geneva arranged one day Seminar for Junior college (Senior High School) students and teachers on Monday 7 October 2013 in Babananak Sindhi Hindi High School & Junior College, Nagpur. The theme of the Seminar was "Human Rights Pre-requisite for Peace, Democracy & Development. 84 students and 9 teachers actively participated in the seminar.

After inauguration of the seminar **Balkrishna Kurvey of EIP-India** made his power point presentation. He informed the meaning of EIP and work done by EIP-International in the world for spreading Human rights education. Kurvey informed in detail the articles of Human Rights and its need for the implementation in India and developing countries for peace, development and safeguarding democracy. India is largest democracy in the world and marching very fast towards development. For the sake of democracy and development, human rights must be spread and implemented from grass root, without which peace and development will be hampered. School is the proper medium to spread and inculcate the ideas of human rights to students who are going to be future citizens of their countries. Teachers have to take active role in teaching human rights to the students and youths.

**Dr. Rajesh Naik, President**, Shree Mayuresh Jiwanvikas Pariwar in his speech narrated the examples of Mahatma Gandhi who strongly advocated the Human rights and Peace in India and in the world.

Mrs. M.M. Chandrkapure, Principal of Baba Nanak Sindhi Hindi High School and Junior College in her presidential speech congratulated EIP-India and EIP-International for arranging such an important seminar on Human rights in her School/college. She stressed what the student will learn in their school/college days will help them to become a good citizens. They will know their human rights as well as the rights of fellow citizens. She also stressed that human rights also have the responsibilities towards fellow human being/society/country and internationally. As future citizens, if they know their human rights, it will certainly benefit for their development as well as towards the peace, enhancing democracy and development of India. As world citizens, they can certainly contribute towards the world goal of peace, and brotherhood/sisterhood. She requested Balkrishna Kurvey of EIP-India to arrange minimum 2 seminars in year in her school/college.

### WORKSHOP

Workshop for the students and teachers arranged after the first session. Participants were divided in small batches and given some questionnaire to discuss among themselves and submit the report in joint meeting.

## **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

Students and teachers ask many questions on various roles of Human rights. Balkrishna Kurvey answered the questions. This was one of the most active sessions where all participants participated.

Vice-Principal Mrs. Waswani; Teachers Mr. Fuldas Patil, Mr. Wakode, Mrs. Jay Ramchandran, Mrs. Mane took active part in arranging workshop for the students and for teaches and took great efforts for the successful seminar.





